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SUBJECT: TERRORISM RESEARCH PROJECT

REF: A-6849, DATED 8/8/73 AND STATE 023142 DATED 2/4/74

1. REFTEL DESCRIBES RESEARCH PROJECT BEING DONE BY RAND CORPORATION ON HOSTAGE/BARGAINING SITUATIONS. PARA 1 AND 4 ARE ESPECIALLY RELEVANT TO CURRENT REQUEST.

2. BRIAN JENKINS, PROJECT LEADER, WILL BE IN LONDON WITH POSSIBLE TRAVEL TO PORTUGAL AUGUST 19-21 WITH INTENT TO INTERVIEW FORMER HOSTAGES. HE HOLDS TOP SECRET SECURITY CLEARANCE LIMITED TO INFORMATION ACCESS ON NEED TO KNOW BASIS. PROJECT IS BEING HANDLED AT SECRET LEVEL.

3. FOR LONDON: REQUEST EMBASSY TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS OF GEOFFREY M. S. JACKSON (BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN URUGUAY KIDNAPPED BY TUPAMAROS IN 1971) BELIEVED TO BE RETIRED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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JAMES RICHARD CROSS (BRITISH TRADE COMMISSIONER IN QUEBEC

PROVINCE KIDNAPPED BY FLQ IN 1970) BELIEVED TO BE SERVING IN PORTUGAL IN OFFICIAL CAPACITY. IF JACKSON IS IN LONDON OR IS OTHERWISE AVAILABLE REQUEST EMBASSY TO MAKE APPOINTMENT IF POSSIBLE FOR JENKINS DURING HIS STAY, COORDINATING WITH HMG AS APPROPRIATE. LIKEWISE, IF CROSS IS IN PORTUGAL OR IS OTHERWISE AVAILABLE, REQUEST EMBASSY APPROACH HMG AND FACILITATE INTERVIEW FOR JENKINS WITH CROSS.

PLEASE ADVISE APPROPRIATE POSTS (FOR JENKINS) OUTCOME OF REQUESTS. WHEN SPEAKING WITH FONOF ON THIS MATTER, EMBASSY SHOULD EXPRESS DEPARTMENT'S APPRECIATION FOR COOPERATION WHICH HMG HAS ALREADY EXTENDED TO RAND AND ITS ANALYSTS.

4. FOR BONN: REQUEST EMBASSY DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS OF E. VON HOLLENBEN (W. GERMAN AMBASSADOR KIDNAPPED IN BRAZIL 1970) BELIEVED TO BE GERMAN AMBASSADOR TO PORTUGAL AND AT APPROPRIATE LEVEL IN FRG REQUEST INTERVIEW FOR JENKINS WITH VON HOLLENBEN. PLEASE PASS RESULTS OF INQUIRY TO APPROPRIATE POST.

5. FOR LISBON: IF CROSS AND/OR VON HOLLENBEN ARE IN PORTUGAL AND RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS APPROVE INTERVIEW WITH JENKINS, REQUEST EMBASSY MAKE APPOINTMENTS AND COORDINATE SCHEDULE WITH EMBASSY LONDON.

6. FOR ALL POSTS: PLEASE ADVISE OFFICER WHOM JENKINS SHOULD CONTACT UPON ARRIVAL . SLUG MESSAGES FOR S/CCT. KISSINGER

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